

The Role of Public Administration in Crisis Management: Lessons from Recent Disasters

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Abstract. This paper explores the role of public administration in managing crises, drawing lessons from recent natural and man-made disasters. It examines the effectiveness of governmental responses and the coordination between different agencies and stakeholders. The study highlights the importance of preparedness, communication, and resource management in crisis situations. By analyzing various case studies, the research identifies best practices and areas for improvement in public sector crisis management. This work contributes to the understanding of how public administration can enhance resilience and response capabilities in the face of emergencies.

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Introduction

Crisis management is a vital function of public administration, requiring coordination, rapid decision-making, and resource allocation to mitigate the impact of disasters. This article investigates the role of public administration in managing crises, using case studies from recent natural and man-made disasters to illustrate effective strategies and common challenges. The research focuses on the critical components of crisis management, including preparedness, inter-agency collaboration, and public communication. By examining successful examples and areas for improvement, the study provides insights into how public administration can enhance its crisis response capabilities. The findings emphasize the importance of adaptability, leadership, and community engagement in building resilient public sector systems capable of responding effectively to emergencies.

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